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TO AMEMBASSY BONN

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C O N F I D E N T I A L MUNICH 0302

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, GW, PL

SUBJECT: RADIO FREE EUROPE: ZYCIE WARSAWY ARTICLE OF JANUARY 26

REF: A) WARSAW 0664; B) BONN 01616

1. RFE STATES THAT ZYCIE WARSAWY ALLEGATION THAT RECENTLY  
RETIRED CHIEF OF RFE'S POLISH BROADCASTING DEPARTMENT WAS FIRED  
IS ABSOLUTELY FALSE. NOWAK OPTED FOR EARLY RETIREMENT ON  
VOLUNTARY BASIS.

2. RFE NOTES THAT POLISH MEDIA HAVE MADE SIMILAR ALLEGATIONS  
ABOUT NOWAK AND SS SEVERAL TIMES IN PAST. NOWAK HAS CATE-  
GORICALLY DENIED ALL SUCH CHARGES.

3. RFE CONSIDERS NOWAK'S CREDENTIALS AS POLISH PATRIOT WHO  
WORKED IN UNDERGROUND DURING WORLD WAR II TO BE IMPECCABLE.

4. COMMENT: UNLESS DEPARTMENT OBJECTS, CONGEN RECOMMENDS  
THAT EMBASSY BONN REPLY TO FONOFF ALONG ABOVE LINES. FYI -  
PARAS 1 THROUGH 3 WERE CLEARED WITH RFE/RL EXECUTIVE  
SECRETARY SCOTT.  
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